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**HOUSE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION No. _____**

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A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring the Junior League
of Indianapolis.

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Whereas, The Junior League of Indianapolis (JLI), a nonprofit women's organization, has been working diligently for 90 years investing in the lives of children and their families throughout the community in order to positively affect Indianapolis and the surrounding areas;

Whereas, The JLI is an "organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women, and improving the community through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers";

Whereas, The core values of the JLI, whose purpose is solely educational and charitable, are voluntarism, training, leadership, community, collaboration, diversity, integrity, respect, and well-being;

Whereas, Part of an international organization representing more than 155,000 women in 292 leagues in the United States, Canada, Great Britain, and Mexico, the Junior League of Indianapolis has completed many projects that improved the lives of the people of the community during its first 89 years;

Whereas, Among these projects were the creation of the Occupational Therapy Department at Riley Hospital, a partnership that lasted 26 years, providing the core volunteer leadership to the Conner Prairie Pioneer Settlement that



helped them establish an "alliance" of volunteers, contributing to the construction of a therapeutic play room at the Julian Center, and supporting the Indiana School for the Blind and Visually Impaired and the Indiana School for the Deaf by helping to plan and staff special events and outings for the children;

Whereas, Looking toward the future, the JLI is focused on reading and is working to provide support to organizations dedicated to improving reading skills, particularly those programs that affect pre-kindergarten to elementary aged children;

Whereas, Some current initiatives and programs include the Day Nursery Emerging Readers Discovery Club, Indy Reads Family Literacy, Indy Reads Advance Reading in Kids, and Girls Inc. of Greater Indianapolis;

Whereas, The Junior League of Indianapolis was founded as an organization designed to train women to be effective leaders and volunteers in their community, and it is this training that sets the JLI apart from other service organizations;

Whereas, Members of the JLI receive training in leadership development, personal improvement, and individualized training on topics of interest to the members;

Whereas, The city of Indianapolis has benefited greatly from the efforts of the members of the Junior League of Indianapolis: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the Senate concurring:*

1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly congratulates the
2 Junior League of Indianapolis on its 90th anniversary and thanks the
3 organization for its many contributions to Indianapolis and the
4 surrounding communities.

5 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
6 Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to the Board of
7 Directors of the Junior League of Indianapolis.

